# MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

# **BETWEEN THE**

# TOWN OF IPSWICH, MASSACHUSETIS

#### AND THE

# AMERICAN FEDERATION OF STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES, AFL-CIO

COUNCIL 93, LOCAL 2905

# REPRESENTING THE IPSWICH

# LIBRARY EMPLOYEES

WHEREAS, the Town of Ipswich, Massachusetts ("Town") and the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL-CIO, Council 93, Local2905 ("Union") (collectively, "the Parties") negotiated a collective bargaining agreement covering the period from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022 ("CBA"); and

WHEREAS, the Town seeks to modify the job descriptions, and reclassify the labor grades, for several positions at the Ipswich Library; and

WHEREAS, it is to the mutual benefit of the parties to adopt such changes;

NOW THEREFORE, the Parties mutually agree to the following;

1. The Town shall amend the job descriptions for the following positions, as hereto attached:

Children's Librarian Reference/Adult & Teen Services Librarian Technical Services Librarian

; and

- 2. The Town shall change the title of "Senior Library Technician" to "Head of Borrower Services" in accordance with the job Description hereto attached.; and
- 3. The Town will incorporate a new Labor Grade 24 into the Library CBA, the rate for which will be 3% above Labor Grade 23: and
- 4. The Town will reclassify the labor grades for the following positions:

Children's Librarian-Labor Grade 24
Head of Borrower Services-Labor Grade 21
Reference/Adult & Teen Services Librarian-Labor Grade 24
Technical Services Librarian-Labor Grade 24

; and

- 5. The Town shall amend the Wage Scale contained in Appendix A, attached hereto, and reflecting the changes provided for in this agreement; and
- 6. Affected employees within the classification of Children's Librarian, Reference/Adult & Teen Services Librarian, Head of Borrower Services, and Technical Services Librarian will be placed on the new scale at their current.step; and
- 7. As a result of the reclassifications, all employees shall be ineligible for the education stipend except for Michelle Guvendiren, and Elizabeth Johnson, who will continue to be eligible for the educational stipend provided for in Article 22.8 of the CBA; and
- Upon the retirement, resignation, or other condition where Michelle Guvendiren and Elizabeth Johnson discontinue their employment with the Ipswich Town Library, the provisions of Article 22.8 shall become null and void, and will be removed from the CBA; and
- 10. All adjustments, amendments, and other changes contained in this agreement will become effective upon signing by the parties; and
- 11. The Parties agree that all other provisions of the CBA, prior arbitration decisions, and all other prior agreements remain in full force and effect unless specifically modified by this agreement.

AGREED by the parties this 6th	day of	October	12020 by:
Scott Trask President AFSCME local2905			Anthony Marino Town Manager Town of Ipswich
Elizabeth Johnson Chapter Chairman AFSCME local 2905			For the Town
Ernest L. Castle Staff Representative			For the Town

**AFSCME Council93** 

# APPENDIX A WAGE SCALE

Effe	ctive July 1,2020 2% wage increase				52.1427	we	eks	37.5	Но	urs/Wk			19	55.3513	Но	urs/Yr		
									5 y	ears	10	Years	15	Years	20	Years	25	Years
Grade	Job Class Description								400		600		1000		1200			1500
		_	1	_	2	_	3	4		5		6	_	7	_	8		9
18		\$	24.35	\$	24.96	\$	25.91	\$ 26.82	\$	27.02	\$	27.33	\$	27.84	\$	28.46	\$	29.2
19		\$	24.94	\$	25.91	\$	26.82	\$ 27.63	\$	27.63	\$	27.64	\$	27.64	\$	27.64	\$	27.65
21	Head of Borrower Services	s	26.45	\$	27.49	\$	28.44	\$ 29.33	\$	29.34	\$	29.36	\$	29.37	\$	29.39	\$	29.40
23		\$	28.11	\$	29.17	\$	30.15	\$ 31.19	\$	31.20	\$	31.22	\$	31.23	\$	31.25	\$	31.20
	Reference/Adult & Teen Services Librarian																	
24	Children's Ubriarian	\$	28.95	\$	30.05	\$	31.05	\$ 32.13	\$	32.33	\$	32.43	\$	32.64	\$	32.74	\$	32.89
	Technical Services Libriarian																	

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						3.2			5 y	ears	10	Years	15	Years	20	Years	25	Years
Grade	Job Class Description		1		2		3		400 5		600		1000		1200			1500
18		\$	24.84	\$	25.46	\$	26.43	\$ 27.36	\$	27.56	\$	27.87	\$	28.38	\$	28.99	\$	29.70
19		\$	25.44	\$	26.43	\$	27.36	\$ 28.18	\$	28.19	\$	28.19	\$	28.19	\$	28.20	\$	28.2
21	Head of Borrower Services	\$	26.98	\$	28.04	\$	29.01	\$ 29.92	\$	29.93	\$	29.94	\$	29.96	\$	29.97	\$	29.9
23		\$	28.67	\$	29.75	\$	30.75	\$ 31.81	\$	31.83	\$	31.84	\$	31.86	\$	31.87	\$	31.8
24	Reference/Adult & Teen Services Librarian Children's Ubriarian Technical Services Libriarian	\$	29.53	<b>'</b> \$	30.65	\$	31.68	\$ 32.77	\$	32.97	\$	33.08	\$	33.28	\$	33.38	\$	33.54

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